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Virtue is not left to stand alone. He who practices it will have neighbors.—Confucius.

ONLY CAMPAIGN YARNS

The voters of Honolulu may expect that during the last week of the campaign there will be a lot of campaign yarns sprung by those who haven't the manhood nor the strength to make direct attack on candidates they are fighting secretly.

Two of these campaign yarns appeared this morning—one a thrust at Kuhio, the other a thrust at Capt. Robert Parker and A. S. Kalei-
opu. The Advertiser, which is fighting Jarrett's losing cause for him, has given publication to a yarn that is absurd on the face of it, and that, moreover, is a mischievous attempt on the part of Lorrin Andrews and others to stir up a fight among the Republican candidates.

The attempt is so obviously malicious and the yarn so obviously, so ridiculously handed out to the public to swallow that it is plain to see the motives behind the gentlemen who framed up the silly plan.

The first motive is to beat Parker and elect Jarrett, by stirring up the Fifth district voters with the falsehood that their candidates for the sheriffship and for the senate have been betrayed by the party.

The second motive is to beat either Dowsett or Renton, or both, and thus to assure the election of Jim Coke, Democrat, or A. J. Wirtz, Democrat, or Joe Cohen, Independent.

And it was from this piece of attempted petty political treachery that the whole story was framed and handed out for publication today.

The Kuhio yarn is just as malicious and just as easily disproved. Kuhio said in Hilo, as he said last night at Waipahu, as he has said repeatedly during this campaign, that the so-called Fear-Kuhio controversy is over, that Fisher has made his investigation here, that his own aim, that of getting an impartial official to look into Hawaiian conditions, is accomplished. He reaffirmed that he would continue to fight for what he believed is Hawaii's good. He again declared that he will battle for more rapid and more complete Americanization of this territory.

But he did not say that he will carry his fight on Fear's confirmation to the floor of the senate, and that is the nasty insinuation now imputed to the delegate.

Yes, this is the season of campaign yarns, and the voters may expect more of the kind that are now being handed out by Lorrin Andrews and others. The "sell-out" yarn is typical. We admit that Lorrin Andrews is an authority on his subject. But the voters need not and will not be deceived for one moment. Particularly, there should be no misunderstanding on the Kalei-
opu-Parker-Dowsett-Renton matter. The Fourth district is going to stand by Kalei-
opu and Parker; the Fifth district need not fear for that.

Any intimation that Capt. Robert Parker, Republican candidate for sheriff, is to be "sold out" is ridiculous and mischievous. The Fourth and Fifth district alike are going to support Capt. Parker because of his splendid record and because he is relied upon to mend the present lax conditions that prevail in the police department. Capt. Parker has been gaining votes by the hundreds ever since his nomination. He ought to be given the sincerest support of every responsible citizen of Honolulu, for the rapid disintegration of a fine police department must be stopped.

SCHOOLHOUSE AND POLITICAL MEETING

Some weeks ago this paper commended the plank in the Republican platform advocating the use of schoolhouses as community centers. In emphasis of the proposition advanced at that time,—that the use of the schoolhouses for public gatherings promotes civic progress and strengthens the general cause of education,—it may be noted here that the same issue has figured largely in the mainland campaign.

A few days ago a Republican meeting was scheduled for the new Liliuokalani school, but postponed because of a seeming reluctance of the department of public instruction to grant the use of the structure for a political meeting. Evidently that reluctance was overcome, for Monday night the Republicans were able to hold a meeting at the schoolhouse and could have used the building itself had rain made a hall necessary.

It is interesting now to see that all of the

national party organizations are taking up this idea. George W. Perkins, one of the leading Progressives, ably sets forth the arguments in favor of such a course in the following letter to the New York city board of education:

To the Board of Education of the City of New York, 500 Park Avenue, New York City.

Gentlemen:—About three weeks ago Mr. E. J. Ward, head of the social center department of the University of Wisconsin, suggested to me that the representatives of the several political party organizations unite in a request that, with such supervision as may be deemed necessary for the maintenance of public health and order, our public schoolhouses be made available for use as public gathering places for the discussion of political issues and kindred questions of interest and importance to the public.

I asked Mr. Ward to see the chairman of the Democratic and Republican committees and ascertain their views in connection with it. This he has done and I am informed that Mr. McAdoo, representing the Democratic party, has written you his indorsement of the idea. I have asked Mr. Hillis if he will please do the same thing, and this is to let you know that the Progressive party is heartily in favor of the idea as advanced by the Social Center association.

This application is made not merely on behalf of various political organizations but also in order that the facilities here requested may be afforded on equal terms to such neighborhood clubs, local parent organizations or other non-partisan organizations as may apply for them.

We offer for your consideration the following facts in justification of the above recommendation: First—The use of the schoolhouses for this purpose would elevate the tone and standard of civic expression and would tend to change the tone from a purely partisan to a public one.

Second—The use of private places for polling purposes and for political meetings as well, in many instances furnishes a cover for the improper use of influence and money to secure support, and lowers the general feeling of respect for the sanctity of the ballot; while the use of the schoolhouses as polling and meeting places would elevate and strengthen this respect and throw a moral tone and general protection around the ballot that is highly desirable.

Third—The economy resulting from the use of the schoolhouses for these purposes would be a substantial saving to the public as a whole. It might increase somewhat the cost to the board of education, but it would decrease materially the cost to the board of elections; and as the sums expended by both boards come from the general public purse the saving would be a net one to the public.

The control and supervision of the schoolhouses would, of course, always be in the board of education and its representatives.

Trusting that the idea, as above expressed in a general way, will appeal to your honorable body, I have the honor to remain,

Very respectfully yours,

GEO. W. PERKINS,
Chairman Executive Committee.

Health authorities have issued warning that all householders should destroy mosquito-breeding places. The recent rains have filled all the tin cans, broken pieces of crockery and other rubbish with which back yards and vacant lots abound. Filled with stagnant water, these places become a paradise for the wriggler. Gutters, troughs and trenches should be cleared of dead leaves, pools of water drained, and, if necessary, a call sent to the mosquito squad of the board of health. The first duty falls on the householder. A little preventive work now will save your houses from invasion by the myriad stinging pests.

Barron, the individual who squawks and gibbers from whatever soapbox he can find to get himself on a level with men, was largely responsible for the hoodlumism displayed by a few men and boys at a Punchbowl Republican meeting last night. The campaign so far has been marked by order, quiet and respectability, and it is not typical of either Republicans or Democrats of Honolulu to carry political rivalry to the point of coarseness reached last night. Barron loses more votes for the Democratic candidates than he makes.

Col. Roosevelt will be surrounded by a thousand policemen when he speaks in Madison Square Garden tonight. It is to be hoped that none of Lieut. Becker's "strong-arm squad" is among them, or the Colonel will probably lose his watch or his purse.

Col. Sam Parker is gathering strength as the campaign progresses. Mayor Fern's high tide of popularity was two years ago. Is there one reason why Fern should be returned to office? What is it?

Having seen Hawaii's beauties, Secretary Knox has returned to Washington with the announcement that he is now ready to resign. The national capital no longer attracts him.

A streetcar conductor in Los Angeles has been given \$100,000 for the alienation of his wife's affections. That's fare enough!

Wonder why Lorrin Andrews' mind turns so readily to the thoughts of a political sell-out?

MAJ. WHOLLEY HIGHLY LAUDED

Major John H. Wholley, whose sudden death a few weeks ago was a profound shock to military and civilian circles here, is the subject of the following editorial in the Seattle Times:

There is mourning throughout the State of Washington on account of the death at Honolulu Sunday of Col. John H. Wholley.

Probably no military man was better known in Seattle and certainly none had attracted more friends than himself on account of the many admirable qualities that the noted Captain who has just passed away.

To him more than any other influence is due the proud record achieved by the First Washington Volunteers in the Philippine war.

It will be remembered that when the emergency arose and Gov. John R. Rogers cast about for a leader of the volunteers, his choice fell upon the young lieutenant of the U. S. Army, at that time Military Instructor at the University of Washington.

Gov. Rogers had seen service himself in the war between the states. His judgment had been attained through experience. How excellent was his choice of Lt. Wholley is amply attested by the splendid military record made by the First Washington and by their commander.

The Washington troops became perhaps the most famous of the great regiment in the islands. And the time came when Col. Wholley took command of a Brigade and led his men into some of the hottest fighting of the war.

Discipline was the measure of this warrior's strength and his success and the thoroughness of his training was absorbed by his men. They were not merely his subordinates—unites in the mastery game of war, to him they became comrades and of him in their fighting days they spoke with loyalty and devotion, that now in this day of bereavement has been transformed into reverence. Colonel Wholley was a brave man and served his country well.

MAUI NOTES

[Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence]

WAILUKU, Oct. 26.—Plans are well matured for a handsome new Wailuku store. The Maui Dry Goods and Grocery Company is the projector of the scheme. This enterprising organization is not very old. Only last year it made important changes in its present store in Wailuku, making it one of great attractions to the customer. During the last eighteen months they have established a branch store on the road to Waihee, calling it the Valley store, a branch at Paia, and one at Kula. A short time before these stores were built, there was a branch store at the corner of Main and market streets that handled a shoe business. This is now enlarged to take in also a large furniture trade. The Kahului branch store, was also established some two years and a half ago. This is doing a good business. Hence there are now five prosperous branches of the Maui Dry Goods and Grocery Company. The main store in Wailuku will be a two-story building to be erected just east of the present store. It will cost about \$100,000 and will be one of the best equipped stores on Maui, if the plans of the directors are carried out.

Charles G. Collais, superintendent of the manual training department of the Kamehameha schools, has been on Maui for a three weeks' vacation. He has been the guest of the Maui hotel, living most of the time at the Kapanui Annex in Iao Valley.

Mr. Collais has been here for a rest and change from his work, which has kept him very busy during the time he has been connected with the schools. He has been taking long tramps into the valley and greatly enjoyed the excellent swimming in Kahului Harbor. He expresses himself as very much pleased with Maui, and thinks it an island full of beauty. He hopes to come again and take in the Hana side, which he did not have time to visit this trip. He goes to the Lahaina school on Monday, so that he may see the work that is being done there.

Maunaloa Seminary has seventy pupils this year. The school was never more prosperous than at present. The work is going well in all the classes. The new play house, which Mrs. H. P. Baldwin has just finished erecting, is a great addition to the equipment. This takes the girls a portion of each afternoon, when it is impossible because of the rain for them to play out of doors.

Sir Thomas Lipton has been asked to take part in the yacht races at the exposition in 1915.

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PERSONALITIES

DR. J. H. RAYMOND of Maui was included in the list of passengers, returning from the mainland in the Wilhelmina.

O. K. KATZ, the mainland boot and shoe salesman, is making one of his periodical trips to the islands as a passenger in the Wilhelmina.

MRS. JOSEPH G. PRAIT has returned from a visit to the mainland as a passenger in the Wilhelmina that reached port last evening.

MRS. H. A. BALDWIN, wife of the Maui plantation manager, has returned from the coast as a passenger in the Matson liner Wilhelmina.

Adam Gilliland formerly of Sixth Avenue, but now of Fruitvale, left Tuesday for this city on a business trip.—Richmond, (Cal.) Banner.

MRS. W. W. GOODALE, wife of the manager of Waiwala plantation, was numbered among the returning passengers in the steamer Wilhelmina.

DR. and MRS. HEMENWAY, parents of Attorney Charles Hemenway of this city, were passengers in the Matson Navigation steamer Wilhelmina that arrived last night.

M. PHILLIPS, a Honolulu business man, is back from a tour of the important centers on the Coast and throughout the mainland. He arrived as a passenger in the Wilhelmina.

JUDGE A. S. HUMPHREYS, who has been seriously ill while on the Coast, has returned to this city much improved in health. He was a passenger in the Matson Navigation steamer Wilhelmina.

THEODORE W. BRIGHAM, representing the Philadelphia Breakwater Company, which holds important contracts on the island of Hawaii, is here in the interests of his firm. He is to remain for some time at Hilo.

DR. J. S. B. PRATT, president of the Territorial Board of Health, is back from attendance at several important conferences held in the interests of health and sanitation. Dr. Pratt was a passenger in the Matson liner Wilhelmina and passed that vessel at quarantine on arrival last evening.

E. B. Walbridge, proprietor of Tuscan Springs, and a big garage in this city, has not been in very good health recently. He will take a much-needed vacation, and on Oct. 22 he expects to sail from San Francisco for Honolulu. His trip will extend for a month and he may possibly be away longer.

Red Bluff, (Cal.) Sentinel.

MR. and MRS. A. BEHR of San Francisco are to remain in the islands for some time as the guest of their daughter, Mrs. R. P. Spalding on Kauai. The Inter-island steamer Kinau was held pending the arrival of the Wilhelmina last evening as an accommodation to the party, who proceeded to the Garden island without any delay.

EPISCOPALIANS TABLE RESOLUTION ON HAWAII

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 19.—A resolution asking the general conference of the Episcopal church to eliminate the Hawaiian and Philippine islands from the eighth missionary department and to divide the remainder of the district, was laid on the table at today's gathering of Episcopal delegates.

The committee has proposed to dispose of Hawaii and the Philippines, but to keep Alaska in the district. The department decided to hold its 1914 session in Olympia, Wash. A resolution for creating a minimum salary standard for clergymen was approved.

Another resolution was adopted, declaring a summer school for clergymen feasible, and Bishop J. H. Johnson of the Los Angeles diocese was named chairman of a committee to authorize the arrangement.

Bishop Charles Scadding of Oregon the Rev. L. B. Thomas of Carson, Nev., and the Rev. W. R. H. Hodgkin of Berkeley were appointed a committee to increase the ministry.

This afternoon, the delegates were offered free passes to the Portland-Los Angeles baseball game and many accepted.

New York customs officials seized \$100,000 worth of jewelry which Mrs. George Lauder of Pittsburgh thoughtlessly neglected to declare.

John D. Spreckles, former republican national committeeman from California, has announced that he will support Wilson for president.

Dr. Wm. Brooks, director of Smith observatory, has discovered his 27th comet.

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King Street	\$ 30.00
Kaimuki	\$20.00, \$30.00, \$35.00
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